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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Naoki MATSUMOTO
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Commissioner for Patents
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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time, a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and a requisite fee being enclosed.

In connection with the Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") filed concurrently herewith, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the amendments in the Response filed on December 12, 2007. In supplement to the amendments and remarks in the December 12, 2007 Response and in response to the December 28, 2007

Advisory Action, please amend the subject application as follows: